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**WETASKIWIN WINS THE MEDALS**

Yesterday afternoon two curling rinks were up from Wetaskiwin to meet the other clubs of the northern district. Edmonton and Strathcona in competition for the district curling medals. The southern visitors defeated the representatives of both the northern towns in well contested games.

Before dining the visitors met the two rinks from Edmonton with the following results:

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French	French
Docto	Congdon
Rix	J. M. Douglas
Stevenson	Weir
Ship	Ship

Ketchum	Forbes
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## WILLIAMSON BROTHERS.

Advertise in the Bulletin

## AROUND THE CITY.

Principal Ringers of the high school will deliver the Bells' oration at the Burns' Anniversary, Jan. 25th.

Rev. C. H. Hunter, Mr. McDonald and Rev. Mr. T. T. Tait of the Methodist church exchange pulpits tomorrow morning.

The Printers' and High School Bands will compete in the second annual contest in the sports for the championship of the city league this evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Thistle Ring.

D. J. McNaughton goes to Calgary to attend the opening of his new office business there. He will travel to the southern city about a month.

The band of the Royal Canadian Legion will present a surprise concert throughout the west for six miles.

Any labor, will preach at High Mass in the church of the Immaculate Conception, Kensington Avenue. The pastor, Father Peter Healy, will officiate.

Earlier mass at 6 o'clock.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

F. A. Walker, M.P.P., was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Justice Harvey of Nelson is in the city and registered at the Alberta.

Miss S. W. Shields of the department store will return on Thursday from a Christmas visit to her home in Ontario.

Miss Eva Sterling returned yesterday morning from a friend's visit to her home in Ontario.

## GRAY-SEXYTHIM.

On December 31, 1906, at the residence of Mr. Johnston, 810 St. George, there took place the marriage of Mr. Wherry Gray to Miss Ellen E. Sexby.

Sexby, Rev. Dr. McQuaig officiating.

Unpatric.

A SCOTCH WEDDING.

Mr. John Starkie, well-known in Edmonton as the Scotch pipe and Caledonian Club, was married last evening to Miss Annie McNaughton, of the same place.

The ceremony took place at the home of The Major, Rev. Dr. McNaughton, and Mr. Henry Wilson, groomsmen.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Craig, on Isabella street, followed by an old-time Scotch dance.

Mr. John Starkie, the bridegroom.

The dance closed with a hearty ringing of "Auld Lang Syne" by the guests.

Montreal Millmen in Squabble With

Judges Because An Officer Is Called

On to Act at Civil Assizes—Judge

Archibald Says They Are Most

Unpatric.

Montreal Special.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—There is a rift between the city's judges and militia officers here over forcing the latter to serve on juries. Mr. Justice Archibald, has forced Major Starkie, a member of the militia, to serve on a civil jury the result being that Major Starkie, one of the best known military officers in the city, has resigned. Major Starkie, made a good record, but before Judge Archibald, who is both a judge and a general, would be exonerated he should have served twice three days previously.

Judge Archibald further stated that his direction to doze jury duty was unadvisable, as

it would be a hardship to the militia officers and men in a rage.

LE ROI CLOSED DOWN.

Shortage of Cars Causes Roseland

Pavilion to Close.

Roseland, Jan. 19.—The Le ROI mine closed down here yesterday owing to shortage of cars, and insufficient fuel to keep the compressors and hoist working. It is expected that the close down will be only temporary.

## AN HONEST MAN.

Hamilton, Jan. 19.—Wm. Warner, a Brandon merchant, is making a tour of Ontario setting up with his wife. They are to be here Saturday evening when Wm. Warner is in the stationery business he will hurried out and lost everything he had. At the time he promised he would some day settle with all his creditors. He has promised since that time and is now settling up.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1907

FARM LANDS TIED UP.  
How the administration of agricultural lands by one provincial government has worked out is illustrated in the following Vancouver despatch:

"Vancouver, Jan. 14.—A great menace to British Columbia is the wholesale acquisition of fine land in the name of the government by the speculators, which is now going on. Rich valleys have fallen into the hands of syndicates that will hold them till the influx of immigrants will fill the gap. The speculators, over the Grand Trunk, profit. Then they will feed on the settlers by asking 'their own prices.'

"Thus spoke H. Helgeson, Dominion fishery inspector, whose headquarters are on the Skeena. He went

"Scores of people in the Skeena and Bulkley districts have complained to me of the manipulation by these speculators of the land for their own interests, and the general opinion is that the manipulation will have a detrimental effect upon immigration and settlement when the Grand Trunk Pacific comes into operation. At present the local government will only allow so much land to be taken up by one person, the speculators are getting over that by the use of fictitious names and are obtaining what they want with the help of the law. It is very much as if immigrants will find not land waiting for the worker, but speculators waiting for the settler."

The land in British Columbia is owned and controlled by the province and administered by the provincial government. The provincial government in its necessities has adopted the policy of administering the land for the settlers, and the general opinion is that the process will not be amended. Instead of turning the land open for settlement by homesteaders the land has been put on the market for sale at prices ranging from \$10 per acre to \$40 per acre. From the start, however, it was known that the scheme was not working out according to the natural expectations and that while the province is getting a temporary revenue it is not getting settlers, and is getting the revenue only at the price of not getting the settlers.

The general tendency of this process of wholesale land-grabbing by those who cannot and will not use it is to let it go, though the full consequences of the process to be continued, will not be apparent until too late to amend.

In the first place, it means that the agricultural land of British Columbia must be held in control by any wild land in the world for quantity, situation and climatic conditions, is passing into the hands of men who have no intention of bringing it into cultivation, but who and whose only purpose is to keep it from being brought into cultivation. For every farm sold by the province, therefore, a farm is deducted from production for a number of years. The more land that is held in control, the more is taken up from production and from contributing the results of that production to swell the general business and increase the general prosperity of the province. Before the land is sold, however, the price is not known from it, which is sold the price is known, the selling price only on condition that it be prevented from being brought into use.

Speculators, the land for the purpose of holding it and some time in the future selling it to a settler at a much higher price than he paid the government. If it were not for the probability of a settler sometime being willing to pay a high price, the speculator would not buy the land. The speculator therefore will buy land only of such quality and so situated that a settler would either at present or in the future, but not when he takes it for nothing, be in condition of cultivating it.

For every farm sold, therefore, a settler is debarred from making his home in British Columbia and from contributing to the rest of the labor force in the development and uplift of that province. The more farms are sold to speculators the more settlers are prevented from making their homes there and from contributing their efforts to develop the resources and the business of the province. The more rapidly and extensively the agricultural land of British Columbia is sold the fewer the people and the smaller the business of the province. The compensation to the settlers to be had would be if the land were thrown open to the man who would use it.

To sell farm lands is to put a penalty on the farmer and while he struggles to pay that penalty the

land passes from the speculator to the settler it only passes under conditions which will place a handicap on the settler for the next decade, which will increase the difficulties of operation and which will divert annually a very material portion of the results of those operations away from the channels of trade and into the coffers of those who have interposed themselves between the settler and the means to enable him to contribute to the general good of the province. Every dollar that is paid for land must come in some form or other out of that land, and while the results of those operations are being diverted to pay this debt the economy of the province is forcing what he should have been able to contribute to its general business activity had he not been so speculated.

From the purely selfish standpoint Alberta has much to gain from the continuance of the land-selling policy in British Columbia. Experience has amply proved that under that policy British Columbia gets the speculators, Alberta gets the settlers. The only one who gets the unoccupied policy Alberta gets the settler and is quite content to do without the speculator. While British Columbia's land-selling policy has not been a success, Alberta's should be. It should be that policy be reversed the results may be very materially changed, and that not altogether to the satisfaction of Alberta. British Columbia's land-selling policy has good climatic conditions, abundance of timber and fuel, and situated much nearer the seaboard than Alberta. Immense tracts of this land will be made available for future immigration by means of construction. Were this land reserved from the clutches of the speculator and placed within reach of the men who would cultivate it, the results would undoubtedly be the same as those obtained for a time past, but the tide of immigration very noticeably from the province east of the mountains. British Columbia is Alberta's most dangerous rival as a field for future immigration. Alberta is really able and willing to invite the settler to come and use her now useless farming land. Should British Columbia abolish its land-selling policy and return to the old law as it was on that in force in the past, provinces the result would be a rush of immigrants which would astonish even the most sanguine believers in the resources and future of the Pacific province.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA.

Extract from the Rules Relating to Private Bills.

Delegation to Ask the Government for Breeding Station and Extension of Poultry Fattening Work—Banquet for Delegates by the Lacombe Association

The dairy convention held at Lacombe on the 16th and 17th, was an unequalled success from the point of numbers in attendance, and from the hearty and real work done in the discussion of the various topics brought up in the proceedings. The commercial throughout the province were all represented, and over sixty delegates were in attendance besides many of the farmers of the Lacombe district. The President presided, and took an active part in the program. The meetings were presided over by Mr. G. W. Harcourt, the minister of agriculture. Addresses were given by several of the delegates.

On the evening of the 16th, the directors of the Lacombe Creamery Association entertained the delegates to a social meeting in the Victoria Hotel. Col. Gregory, president of the Association, presided. Speeches were given by Mr. Flinlay, C. E. Walker, Mayor Gourlay, and S. R. Stevenson, A. W. Foley and Mr. G. W. Harcourt.

The sessions of the convention were taken up by discussions of matters relating to dairying and poultry raising by Mr. C. P. Parker, Dr. C. C. Morrison, Mr. G. W. Harcourt, and others of the co-operative poultry stations.

Some of the results of the co-operative fattening stations were submitted whereby it was shown that after a vacation of six weeks the fattening stations were able to supplement this price to the extent of 4 or 5 cents per pound, after deducting all expenses. In the course of his address Mr. Foley laid special emphasis on grain breeds and types, and upon grain building for eggs and meat production.

The opinion of the convention was that the operation of the convention was to be extended next year, and voted to do it by a unanimous resolution. A delegation will wait upon the government advising extension and enlargement of these works. The delegation will also ask for the extension of the co-operative stations, where eggs and birds can be obtained at a nominal price.

With regard to the operation of the creamery stations the matter of "complaint" engaged the attention of the delegates. The complaint is that the patrons of the government creameries do not receive their cheques promptly from the department. The apparent delay was explained by Mr. Flinlay. This action will be taken by the Lacombe commissioners at Calgary, from where they must pass through the audit department before they are sent out by the provincial treasurer. This procedure incurs a delay of about a month. After this the commissioners' resolution to have the checks issued directly from the dairy commissioners office. A delegation will present the matter to the government.

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